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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/163,778
 Applicant(s) : Allan Lepine
 Filed : September 30, 1998
 Title : Canine Milk Substitute
 TC/A.U. : 1761
 Examiner : Chhaya D. Sayala
 Conf. No. : 5876
 Docket No. : P116
 Customer No. : 27752

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$
☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$
☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

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Respectfully submitted,

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